GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2145
ANSWERED ON:06.08.2001
REQUEST FOR CHANGING NAME OF AIRPORTS IN H.P
MAHESHWAR SINGH;SURESH CHANDEL

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have received any request from the Government of Himachal Pradesh to change the nomenclature of Gaggal, Jubbar, Hatti and Bhuntar airports to Kangra, Shimla and Kullu-Manali airports respectively;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the time by which a decision is likely to be taken in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHARAD YADAV)

(a), (b) and (c) :- Yes, Sir. The names of Gaggal, Jubbar Hatti and Bhuntar airports in Himachal Pradesh have alreadybeen changed to Kangra, Shimla and Kullu-Manali airports respectively.